

AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT:

Please amend the Abstract of the Disclosure to read as follows:

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A scale (102A) on a surface f of a fish body (100) is vertically or generally vertically raised by the injection of a pressure water (20) from a first water injection nozzle row (28) and the same The raised scale (102A) already raised is removed from the fish body (100) by the injection of a pressure a spray of water from a just next an adjacent water injection nozzle row (30). There is provided a A water pressure adjustment section (34) is used to apply a uniform water pressure to the surface of the fish body in spite of variation in the the surface of the fish body to be scaled by these water injection nozzle rows.